

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST TO</b>	)	
<b>WITHDRAW CHOCTAW COMMUNICATIONS,</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. CHT-T-03-1</b>
<b>INC. DBA SMOKE SIGNAL</b>	)	
<b>COMMUNICATIONS' CERTIFICATE OF</b>	)	<b>ORDER NO. 29381</b>
<b>PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY NO.</b>	)	
<b>381.</b>	)	

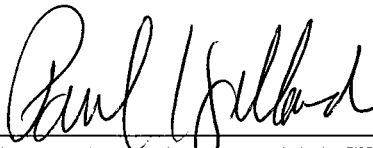
On November 4, 2003, the Commission received a letter from Choctaw Communications, Inc. dba Smoke Signal Communications (Choctaw) requesting to withdraw Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 381 issued to it in October 1999. Case No. GNR-T-99-9, Order No. 28159. Choctaw indicated that it has no customers and no plans to operate in the State of Idaho. Choctaw has withdrawn its Certificate of Authority, issued by the Secretary of State, to transact business in the State of Idaho. At the Decision Meeting on November 12, 2003, Staff recommended to the Commission that Choctaw's request be granted and Choctaw's Certificate be withdrawn without prejudice. This Order approves Choctaw Communications, Inc. dba Smoke Signal Communications' request to withdraw its CPCN.

**ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Choctaw Communications, Inc. dba Smoke Signal Communications' request to withdraw Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 381 is approved.

THIS IS A FINAL ORDER. Any person interested in this Order or in interlocutory Orders previously issued in this Case No. CHT-T-03-1 may petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of the service date of this Order with regard to any matter decided in this Order or in interlocutory Orders previously issued in this Case No. CHT-T-03-1. Within seven (7) days after any person has petitioned for reconsideration, any other person may cross-petition for reconsideration. See *Idaho Code* §§ 61-619 and 61-626.

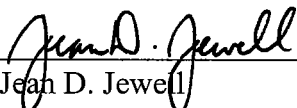
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of November 2003.

  
PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

  
MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

  
DENNIS S. HANSEN, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

  
Jean D. Jewell  
Commission Secretary

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